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BLACKHAWK

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The **KILLER
VULTURE!**

ATTACK!
ATTACK!
KILL THE
BLACKHAWKS!

OUT OF THE SKIES THEY CAME... LIKE THE VULTURES WHOSE NAME THEY BORE! DOWN, DOWN THEY SWEEP IN SCAVENGER FASHION, TO "PICK DRY" THE HELPLESS CITIES CAUGHT IN CONFUSION AND PANIC! AND THE FAMED BLACKHAWKS ARE THE ONLY OBSTACLE IN THEIR PATH! BUT COULD THEY TURN BACK THE PLUNDERERS FROM THE SKY... THE FIENDS WHO THRIVED ON DISASTER?

BLACKHAWK

CHARGED WITH DESTRUCTIVE POWER, A VIOLENT STORM RUNS RAMPANT IN THE NORTH SEA! THEN, POISING ITSELF LIKE A DAGGER, THE TURBULENT MASS THUNDERS TOWARD EUROPE!



INHABITANTS OF THE COASTAL CITIES AND TOWNS BRACE THEMSELVES FOR THE IMPACT IN ORDERLY FASHION! BUT IN ONE AREA CONFUSION AND PANIC REIGN...

HURRY! HURRY! IT WILL BE UPON US SOON!

ERIC...EVERYTHING WE LEAVE WILL BE DESTROYED! WHERE WILL WE GO? WHAT WILL WE DO?



THERE'S THE BREACHED DIKE! HURRY, GANG! A SANDBAG BARRICADE IS THE ONLY CHANCE TO SAVE THE CITY!

LET US HOPE SO, MON AMI! IF WE DO NOT HOLD BACK ZEE WATER THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE WILL PERISH!



DO YOU THINK WE HAVE A CHANCE OF HOLDING BACK THE ANGRY SEA, BLACKHAWK?

ONLY TIME WILL TELL, STANISLAUS!

GOLLIES! STORM RING LIKE HISSING DRAGON IN CHOP CHOP'S EARS!



The LAND BEING BELOW SEA LEVEL SEEMS DESTINED FOR DESTRUCTION BEFORE NATURE'S ONRUSHING VIOLENCE! THEN, THE FAMED BLACK-HAWKS APPEAR ON A MISSION OF MERCY!

HM-M...THAT'S A STRANGE SOUND FOR A STORM TO MAKE! WHAT DO YOU THINK, HENDRICKSON?

JA! S VUNDER...IF ONLY VE COULD SEE ABOVE DER CLOUDS!



YUMPIN YUPITER! LOOK!

IT'S...A TIDAL WAVE, OLAF! TAKE COVER, GANG!



AA THE BLACKHAWKS BRACE THEMSELVES FOR THE BRUNT OF THE GREAT WAVE STRANGE, OMINOUS EYES OBSERVE FROM ABOVE!

EXCELLENT! THE TIDAL WAVE WILL PARALYZE THE CITY SUFFICIENTLY! WE WILL ATTACK AT ONCE, GORKA! REDUCE SOARING SPEED...PREPARE FOR DESCENT!

YES, VULTURE!



FATE HAS INDEED BEEN KIND TO US, GORKA! THE WORLD'S BIGGEST URANIUM ORE STOCK IS LOCATED IN THIS CITY! ALERT OUR MEN!

ATTENTION! ATTENTION! LANDING IN FIFTY THREE SECONDS! PREPARE FOR ATTACK!



LIKE A GIANT BIRD OF PREY THE VULTURE PLANE DESCENDS UPON THE ATOMIC PLANT AND...

FIFTH, SIXTH AND SEVENTH PLATOONS FAN OUT TO PLUNDER CITY! I WILL PERSONALLY LEAD THE TENTH PLATOON IN THE RAID ON THE ATOMIC PLANT!

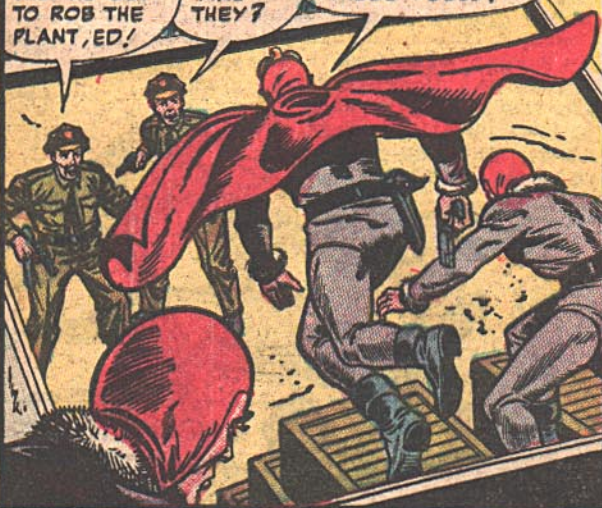
AS YOU COMMAND, VULTURE!



WHAT THE... THEY'RE OUT TO ROB THE PLANT, ED!

W-WHO ARE THEY?

GORKA... SILENCE THESE FOOLS!



YAAAGH!

WE WILL NOT BE TROUBLED BY OTHER GUARDS... THEY HAVE BEEN CALLED OUT FOR EMERGENCY FLOOD DUTY! HURRY... TO THE ORE DEPOSITORY BELOW!



DESCENDING UPON THE HELPLESS CITY THE FANTASTIC ARMY METHODICALLY PLUNDERS ITS RICHES!



BUT...WE'LL NEED A SQUAD OF MEN TO STOP THESE PLUNDERERS!

THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE! EVERY AVAILABLE OFFICER IS AIDING WITH THE EVACUATION OF THE CITY! WE'LL HAVE TO GET ALONG WITHOUT THEM!



FINALLY, AS WORD OF THE INCREDIBLE CRIME REACHES THE BLACKHAWKS...

B-BLACKHAWK! SOME FIENDS ARE ROBBING THE CITY! YOU... MUST HELP US!

WHAT? BUT... WE CAN'T! THAT TIDAL WAVE NEARLY TORE OUR MAKE-SHIFT BARRICADE APART! WE'VE GOT TO STAY HERE!





DER SWINE ARE SMART WHOEVER THEY ARE!
 YES, HENDRICKSON! THEY PICKED THE IDEAL TIME FOR ROBBERY! THE POLICE AND ARMY HAVE THEIR HANDS FULL EVACUATING THE POPULATION! AND IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR US TO LEAVE THIS BARRICADE!



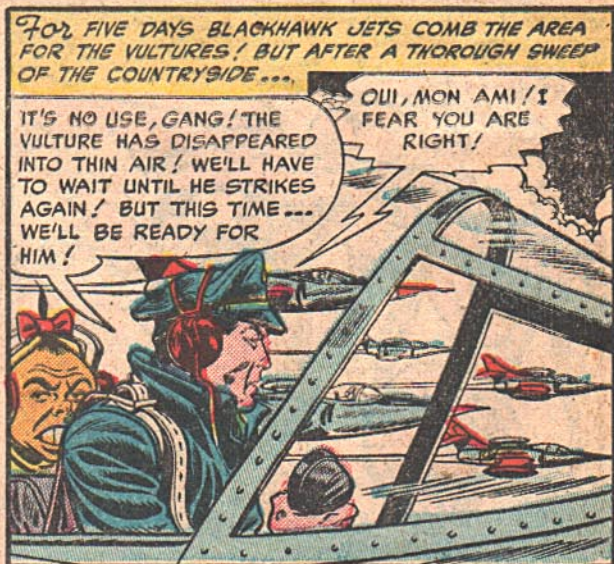
IT'S MORE IMPORTANT FOR US TO SAVE THE CITY THAN PREVENT THE THEFT! WE'LL DEAL WITH THE LOOTERS LATER!
 YOU ARE RIGHT, BLACKHAWK! THE CITY COMES FIRST!



HOURS LATER, AFTER THE STORM SUBSIDES, THE FAMED FIGHTERS FOR FREEDOM WALK THE STREETS OF THE VICTIMIZED TOWN!
 THIS IS FANTASTIC! THE CITY HAS LITERALLY BEEN LOOTED OF ALL ITS RICHES!
 HEY...LOOK THERE! THAT POLICEMAN...HE'S WOUNDED!



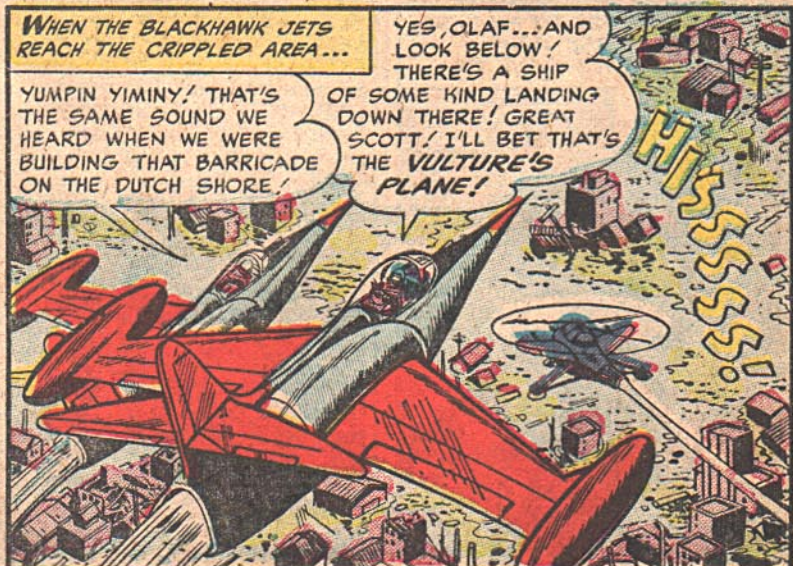
T-THEY CAME IN MASS... SOME FIEND AND HIS MEN DRESSED LIKE VULTURES...
 O-OH!
 VULTURES! HM-M...THOSE SCAVENGERS DIDN'T MISS A THING EITHER! WE'D BETTER GET YOU TO A HOSPITAL ON THE DOUBLE! THEN WE'RE GOING TO TRACK DOWN THESE KILLER VULTURES!



FOR FIVE DAYS BLACKHAWK JETS COMB THE AREA FOR THE VULTURES! BUT AFTER A THOROUGH SWEEP OF THE COUNTRYSIDE...
 IT'S NO USE, GANG! THE VULTURE HAS DISAPPEARED INTO THIN AIR! WE'LL HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL HE STRIKES AGAIN! BUT THIS TIME... WE'LL BE READY FOR HIM!
 OUI, MON AMI! I FEAR YOU ARE RIGHT!



THEN, AS BLACKHAWK MANEUVERS HIS PLANE FOR THE RETURN FLIGHT...
 ATTENTION! ATTENTION! FREAK TORNADO HAS JUST DEVASTATED SOUTHERN ITALY! KEEP TUNED FOR LATER NEWS BULLETINS...
 DID YOU HEAR THAT, MEN? WE'D BETTER HOP DOWN THERE AND LEND A HAND! THOSE UNFORTUNATE FOLKS WILL NEED ALL THE HELP THEY CAN GET!
 ROGER!



WHEN THE BLACKHAWK JETS REACH THE CRIPPLED AREA...
 YUMPIN YIMINY! THAT'S THE SAME SOUND WE HEARD WHEN WE WERE BUILDING THAT BARRICADE ON THE DUTCH SHORE!
 YES, OLAF...AND LOOK BELOW! THERE'S A SHIP OF SOME KIND LANDING DOWN THERE! GREAT SCOTT! I'LL BET THAT'S THE VULTURE'S PLANE!
 HISSSS!

AFTER THE FAMED TEAM THROTTLE DOWN AND LAND IN A NEARBY FIELD...

YOUR SUSPICION WAS CORRECT, BLACKHAWK! LOOK!

YES! THIS VULTURE AND HIS FLOCK ARE A CLEVER LOT, CHUCK! CHARACTERISTIC OF THE BIRD OF PREY THEY EMULATE THEY ONLY ATTACK HELPLESS SUBJECTS...SUCH AS THIS DEVASTATED CITY! LET'S CLIP THEIR WINGS, GANG!



HAWKAAA!



VULTURE! IT'S THE BLACKHAWKS! THEY ARE ATTACKING!

EXCELLENT! WE SHALL SHARPEN OUR TALONS ON THEIR THICK SKULLS! TAKE BATTLE STATIONS! FIFTH CORPS FORWARD!

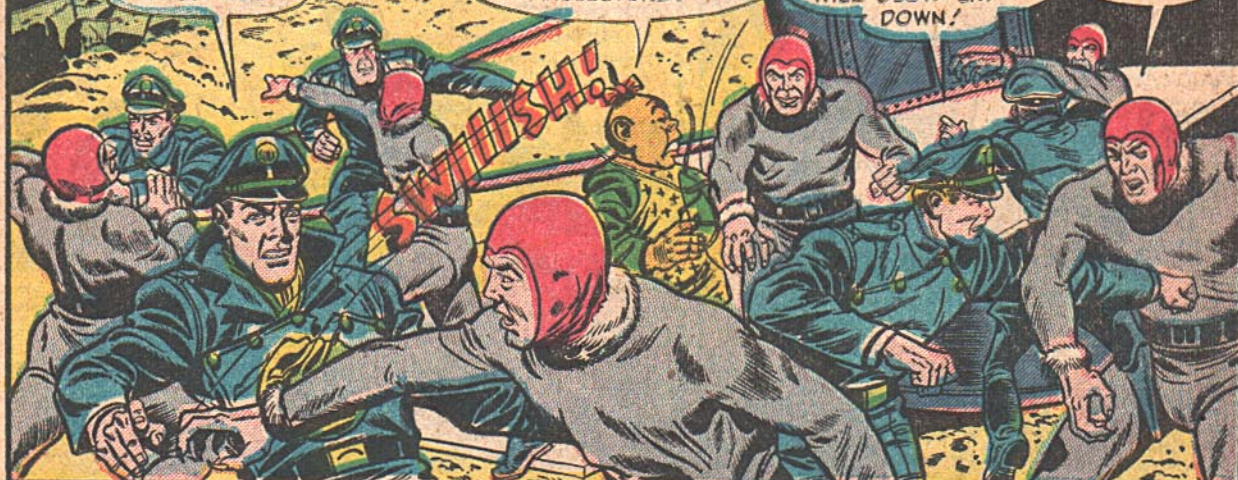


M-MEN...THEIR TALONS ARE RAZOR SHARP! WATCH OUT!

YIPES! CHOP CHOP VELLY NEARLY JOIN HONOLABLE ANCESTORS!

A FEW GOOD BLOWS IN THE BREADBASKET WILL SLOW 'EM DOWN!

OOOOF!



FOR TENSE MINUTES THE VALIANT BLACKHAWKS BATTLE BRAVELY AGAINST OVERWHELMING ODDS! THEN...

THOSE COSTUMED SWINE ARE HOLDING THEIR OWN, VULTURE! WE WILL ANNIHILATE THEM IMMEDIATELY! ALERT SIXTH AND SEVENTH PLATOONS! I WILL GIVE YOU THE HONOR OF LEADING THEM INTO BATTLE AND CONQUERING THE BLACKHAWKS, GORKA!



A WAVE OF MEN SUDDENLY SPEW FORTH FROM THE GREAT PLANE AND...

I WILL LEAD THE ATTACK ON THE CITY, GORKA! WE WILL MEET HERE...AFTER YOU FINISH OFF THE BLACKHAWKS!

AS YOU COMMAND, VULTURE!



GREAT SCOTT! LOOK, OLAF! THEY'RE... MOVING IN AN ARMY TO STOP US!

WE CAN HAVE OUR HANDS FULL NOW, BLACKHAWK!



LET'S GO DOWN
FIGHTING, MEN!

OUI, BLACKHAWK! ZEY
WEEL KNOW ZEY HAVE
BEEN IN A BATTLE!



DIS SHOULD
STOP THEM...

YES...BUT FOR HOW LONG? WE
CAN'T HOLD OUT FOREVER AGAINST
SUCH A FORCE! HMM...IF WE
COULD KNOCK OUT THE COM-
MANDER OF THIS PARTY THEY
MIGHT PANIC AND
RETREAT!



BLACKHAWK SCANS THE ENEMY FORCE WITH
KEEN EYES! THEN...

THAT MUST BE THE
LEADER...THE ONE
WEARING THAT
POUCH! HEY!

H-HUH??



DON'T GO AWAY,
MISTER! I WANT TO
TALK TO YOU...
WITH MY FISTS!
OH, MISSED...



BLACKHAWK'S QUICK THINKING
PAYS OFF! THE VULTURE MEN
PANIC AND FLEE TO THEIR PLANE
AS THEY OBSERVE THEIR COM-
MANDER RETREATING!

THAT WAS
A SMART
MOVE,
BLACKHAWK!
YOUR LITTLE
TRICK WORKED!

YES! LET US PURSUE
THEM! THEY WILL BE
AN EVEN MATCH
FOR US ONCE
THEY ARE AIR-
BORNE!

WE'D
BETTER GET
TO OUR JETS
ON THE DOUBLE!



BUT THEN, THE BLACKHAWKS
STAND STUNNED AS THEY OBSERVE
THE FLEEING VULTURE PLANE!

THUNDERATION!
LOOK AT THAT
VULTURE PLANE
GO! IT'S SUPER-
SONIC!

ACH DU LIEBER!
DEY WILL BE
OUT OF SIGHT
BEFORE VE
CAN REACH
OUR JETS!



WHAT HAVE
YOU THERE
IN THE POUCH,
BLACKHAWK?

I DON'T KNOW,
ANDRE! I TOOK IT
FROM THEIR
LEADER DURING
THE BATTLE! LET'S
HAVE A LOOK!



MON AMI!
WHAT EES ZEE
REASON FOR
ZEM CARRYING
SUCH MAPS?

HMM, THESE ARE
INTRICATE WEATHER
MAPS MADE UP BY
SOMEONE WHO KNEW
HIS BUSINESS! EVI-
DENTLY THEY'RE OF
GREAT IMPORTANCE TO
THE VULTURES ...



OF COURSE! DON'T YOU
SEE, GANG...THE VULTURE
FINDS OUT WHERE BAD
STORMS AND CALAMITIES
ARE GOING TO STRIKE
FROM THESE WEATHER
MAPS! THEN HE RAIDS
THE AREA IN THE
MIDST OF THE
DISASTER!



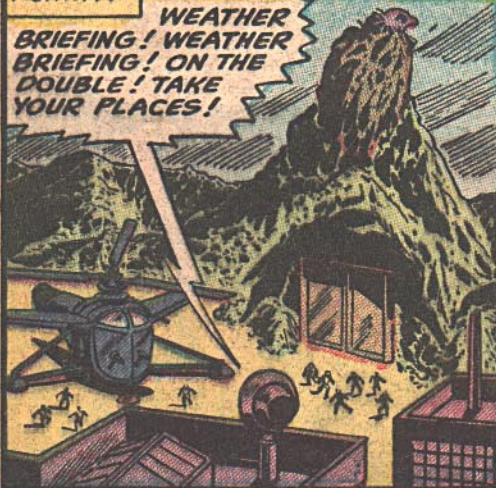
ACH! DOT
IS DER
ANSWER,
BLACK-
HAWK!
DER SVINE...
ARE INDEED
VULTURES!

YES, HENDRICKSON ...
VULTURES! NOW, HOW WOULD
YOU GO ABOUT TRAPPING A
GREEDY BIRD OF PREY!
HMMM, THERE'S BOUND TO
BE A WEAKNESS IN THOSE
CHARACTERS!



NEXT DAY, HIGH IN THE PYRENEES MOUN-
TAINS THE VULTURE'S LAIR IS A BEEHIVE OF
ACTIVITY!

**WEATHER
BRIEFING! WEATHER
BRIEFING! ON THE
DOUBLE! TAKE
YOUR PLACES!**



Then, WITHIN THE OMINOUS
PLUNDERER'S ROOST!

PROCEED WITH THE
DISASTER-LOCATER
MACHINE, GORKA! THE
ELEMENTS ARE PERFECT
FOR A CALAMITY
OF NATURE!

AT ONCE,
VULTURE!



THE MILAN
WEATHER
REPORT!

PARIS
NEWS
REPORTING!

THE VULTURE'S LAIR WHIRLS INTO ACTION! WITH TRIP-HAMMER SPEED WEATHER REPORTS FROM ACROSS
THE FACE OF EUROPE ARE TABULATED AND FED INTO A STRANGE MACHINE!

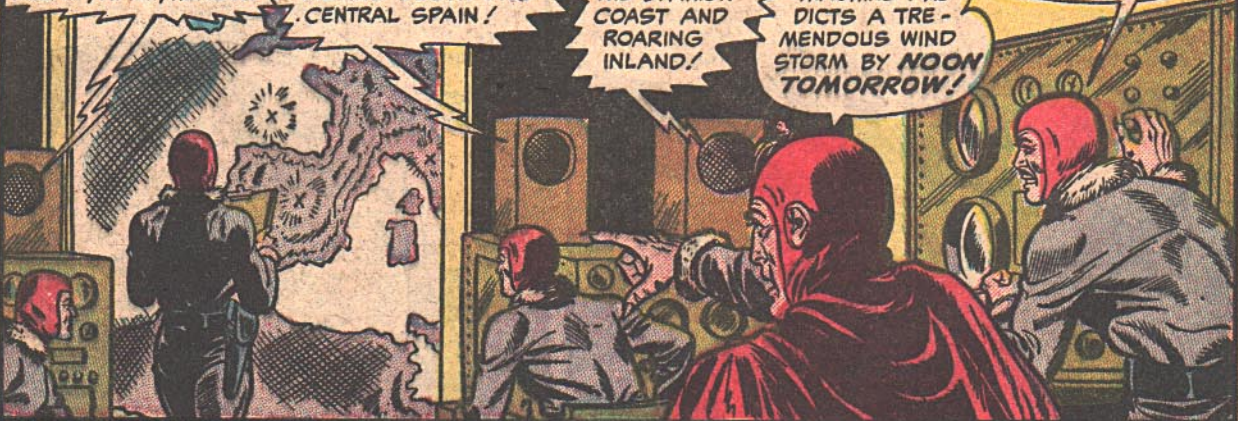
A HEAVY DOWNPOUR
OF RAIN IS HITTING
MILAN, ITALY, HERE...

THE SLEET STORM STRIKING
SOUTHERN FRANCE IS
MOVING SOUTH INTO
CENTRAL SPAIN!

HIGH WINDS
ARE LASHING
THE SPANISH
COAST AND
ROARING
INLAND!

HERE! HERE IN
GRANADA THE
MACHINE PRE-
DICTS A TRE-
MENDOUS WIND
STORM BY NOON
TOMORROW!

EXCELLENT! THE
KILLER VULTURES
WILL BE THERE!

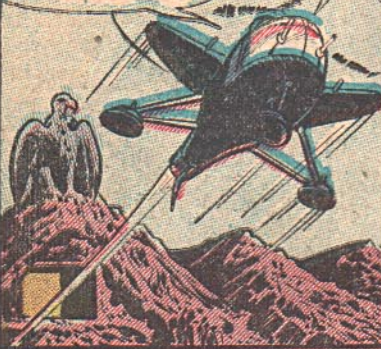


BLACKHAWK

NEXT MORNING, THE GREAT VULTURE PLANE SPEEDS FROM ITS LAIR!

THERE IS MUCH WEALTH IN GRANADA! WE SHOULD DO WELL WHEN THE GREAT WINDS RIP THE CITY AND PUT IT AT OUR MERCY!

YES, VULTURE... WE SHOULD DO WELL INDEED!



NOON FINDS THE KILLER VULTURES WAITING FOR THEIR VICTIMS TO WEAKEN!

ALL CITIZENS WILL BE EVACUATED TO THE HILLS! BE CALM... OBEY THE POLICE! HURRICANE WINDS ARE EXPECTED WITHIN THE HOUR!



GOOD! GOOD! THE CITY IS TERROR STRICKEN! PREPARE TO DESCEND... WE WILL STRIKE THE CITY'S KEY BANK... GRANADA TRUST COMPANY!

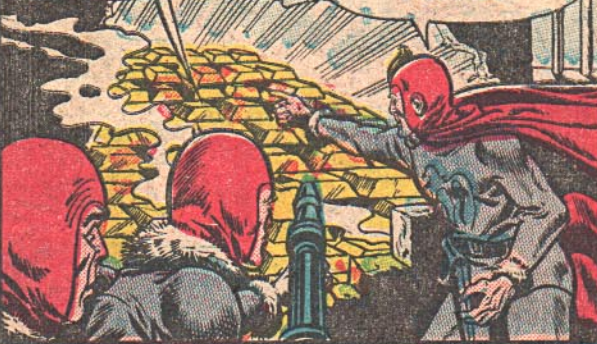
BLOW OPEN A POINT OF ENTRY! HA! THE FEW GUARDS THAT REMAIN ARE TERRIFIED! THEY DARE NOT CHALLENGE US! STRIKE! STRIKE!



Then, within the bank's innards, the killer vultures are astonished at what they find awaiting them!

V-VULTURE! THUNDERATION! GOLD BULLION! N-NEVER HAVE I SEEN SO MUCH IN ONE PLACE BEFORE!

WE'VE STRUCK A TREASURE TROVE BEYOND OUR WILDEST IMAGINATION! HURRY! FILL THE VULTURE PLANE!



B-BUT, VULTURE... EVEN OUR GIANT CRAFT CANNOT TAKE ALL THIS WEIGHT WITHOUT LOSING HALF HER SPEED! WE MUST LEAVE HALF OF THE GOLD IN CASE THE BLACKHAWKS COME!

NO, NO, YOU FOOL! THE BLACKHAWKS DON'T KNOW WE'RE HERE AND WE COULD DEFEAT THEM EVEN IF THEY DID! WE WILL TAKE ALL THE GOLD!



OVERLOADED WITH THE HEAVY GOLD THE VULTURE PLANE LUMBERS INTO THE SKY! THEN...

KEEP THAT GREEDY BABY IN YOUR SIGHTS, GANG! OLAF, BETTER BANK TO THE LEFT IN CASE SHE TRIES TO SLIP US THAT WAY!

YAH, BLACK-HAWK! I BAN KEEP GOOD EYE ON HER FAT BELLY!

VELLY SLICKY IDEA WAITING FOR VULTURE PLANE TO EAT TOO MUCH SO CANT FLY FAST ENOUGH!



WHILE IN THE VULTURE PLANE...

HA, GORKA! LET THEM

HO, VULTURE! THE BLACKHAWKS ARE AFRAID TO CHALLENGE US... EVEN THOUGH THIS TIME WE COULD NOT OUTRUN THEM!

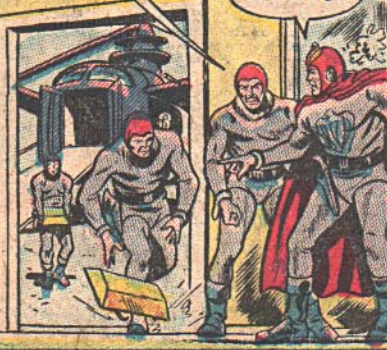
LINGER LIKE FRIGHTENED SPARROWS IN OUR SLIP STREAM! THEY'LL DROP OUT WHEN THEIR FUEL GETS LOW!



WHEN THE VULTURE REACHES HIS LAIR...

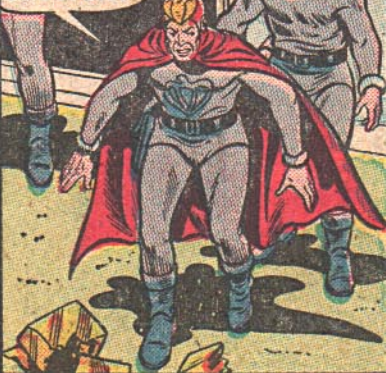
HO, HOW RIGHT YOU WERE, VULTURE! THE BLACKHAWKS DID NOT DARE ATTACK US! THEY VANISHED INTO THE CLOUDS!

OF COURSE... THEY KNOW THEIR MASTERS'... **BE CAREFUL, YOU CLUMSY LOU!**



But THEN...

WHA...? THE COLOR... THE COLOR HAS RUBBED OFF OF THE BULLION!



NOT AT ALL, BOYS! YOU SEE, THAT'S ABOUT FIVE TONS OF LEAD YOU'VE BEEN FLYING OVER THE MOUNTAINS! WE MERELY **SPRAYED** IT YELLOW!

SURE! WE FIGURED YOU VULTURES WOULD BE GREEDY ENOUGH TO TAKE IT ALL! THANKS! IT WAS THE ONE WAY YOU WOULD BE FORCED TO FLY SLOW ENOUGH FOR US TO FOLLOW!



VULTURES ARE CHARACTERISTICALLY GREEDY... THEY STUFF THEMSELVES SO MUCH ON THEIR VICTIMS THAT THEY CAN'T FLY FOR HOURS! THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED TO **YOU!**



YOU'VE BEEN SET UP FOR CAPTURE, VULTURE! THOSE LAST NEWS WEATHER FLASHES WERE FAKES, DREAMED UP BY THE BLACKHAWKS! **YOU** ARE THE ONLY DISASTER VICTIM NOW!

YOU DOGS LURED ME INTO THE OPEN TO FOLLOW ME HERE AND STEAL MY RICHES!



NOT **STEAL** THEM, VULTURE... **RETURN** THEM TO THEIR RIGHTFUL OWNERS... **OH-H-H!**

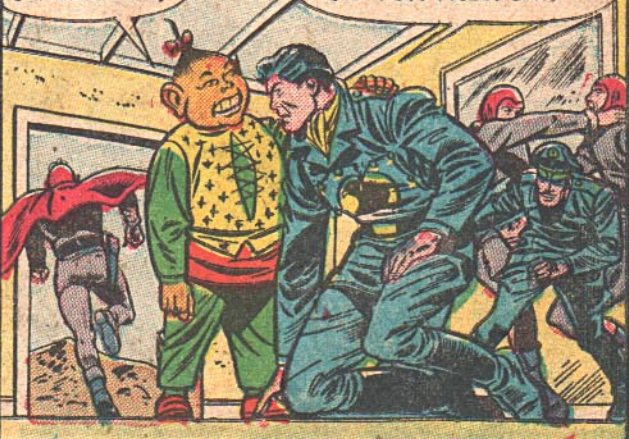
GOLLY CHEES! S-SOLLY, BLACK-HAWK!



QUICKLY, THE TALONED ASSASSIN TAKES ADVANTAGE OF THE SITUATION...

YOU ALLIGHT, BLACKHAWK?

SURE, CHOP CHOP! OH, OH, THE VULTURE'S MAKING A BID FOR FREEDOM!





NOT A CHANCE, YOU BUZZARD OF THE AIR! YOU'RE NOT FEASTING ON ANY MORE HUMAN MISERY IF...



...I CAN HELP IT!



Then, AS THE VULTURE PLANE LEAVES THE GROUND...

NOW OR NEVER...

YIIIIK! CRAZY FOOL!



But AS BLACKHAWK SQUIRMS INTO THE PLUNGING PLANE...

YOU ARE A FOOL, BLACKHAWK! YOUR FANTASTIC ATTEMPT TO STOP ME WILL ONLY MEAN YOUR DEATH!

PERHAPS, VULTURE, BUT... GREAT CATS! THE FAKE BULLION'S TORN LOOSE!



LEAD DEATH RAINS DOWN A SPLIT SECOND LATER AS...

DON'T TRY TO TRICK ME, BLACKHAWK... YIIIIII!



And GRIM MINUTES AFTERWARD...

ACH, BLACKHAWK! WE SAW DER FIGHT! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

THE KILLER VULTURES ARE DONE FOR!

A-AND SO IS...THE VULTURE HIMSELF, STANISLAUS!



EVEN IN DEATH THE LUST FOR POWER AND WEALTH REMAINS IN HIS EVIL FEATURES!

SACRE, BLACKHAWK...SEE HOW HE CLUTCHES ZE FAKE GOLD BULLION! EET EES AS IF IT WERE REALLY GOLD!

VELLY GOOD END FOR VELLY BAD MAN!

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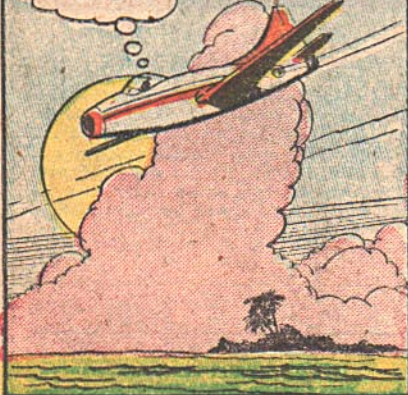
BLACKHAWK

CHOP CHOP

and the VEILED PRINCESS



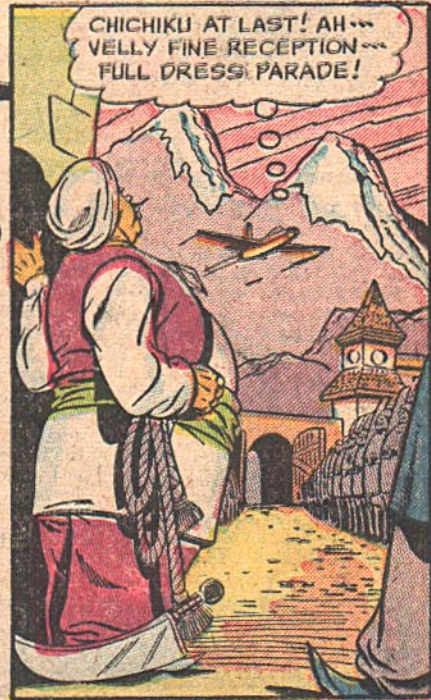
VELLY NICE OF SULTAN OF CHICHIKU TO CABLE REQUEST TO BLACKHAWKS TO PLEASE SEND CHOP CHOP TO RECEIVE GREAT HONOR!



CHICHIKU FAR BEYOND TIBET, YET SULTAN KNOW ABOUT FAMOUS BLACKHAWKS! ME WONDER WHAT GREAT HONOR WILL BE!



CHICHIKU AT LAST! AH... VELLY FINE RECEPTION... FULL DRESS PARADE!



I, THE SULTAN OF CHICHIKU, GREET YOU, CHOP CHOP!

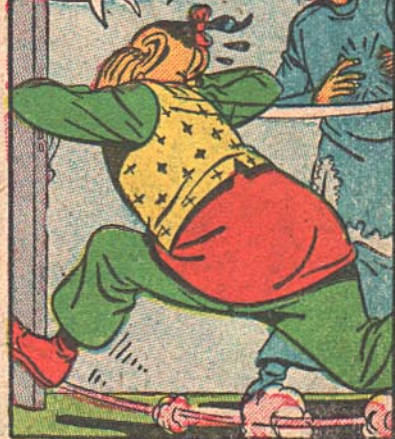
CHOP CHOP, THIS IS MY DAUGHTER! I SHALL GIVE HER TO YOU IN MARRIAGE!

MARRIAGE?

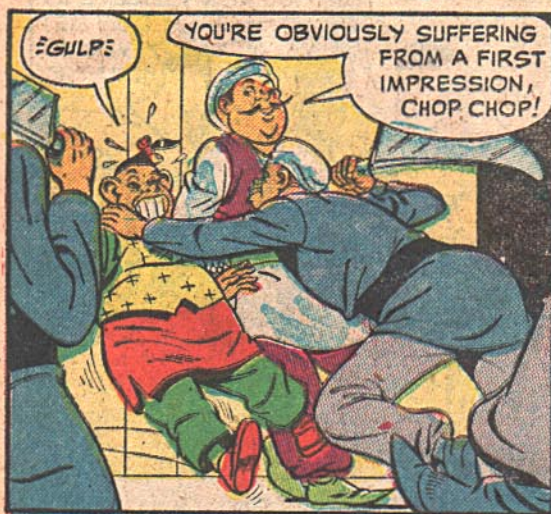
NOW THAT WE ARE ENGAGED, YOU MAY KISS ME, CHOP CHOP!

AWRK! YOU VELLY CERTAINLY OUT OF THIS WORLD!

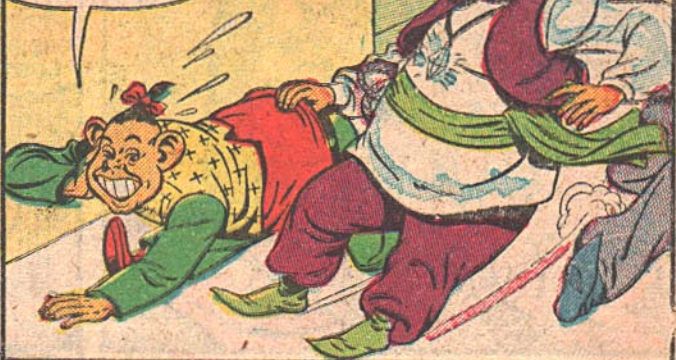
EXCUSE, PLEASE! ME JUST REMEMBER ANOTHER ENGAGEMENT!



GET BACK IN THAT ROOM! I ADMIT MY DAUGHTER TAKES A LITTLE GETTING USED TO BUT LOOK HOW PEOPLE GET TO LIKE OLIVES!



YOU SO RIGHT! FIRST IMPRESSION MAKE ME SUFFER VELLY MUCH!



BIND HIM! WHEN HE COMES TO HIS SENSES, HE WILL SEE THE MERITS OF THIS MARRIAGE!

YAWP!

BLACKHAWK

OH, WOE! NOW IF THAT ONE WERE THE PRINCESS IT WOULD BE DIFFERENT STORY! GOLLY! THE WAY SHE LOOKS AT ME SHE MUST HAVE FALLEN FOR CHOP CHOP VELLY MUCH!

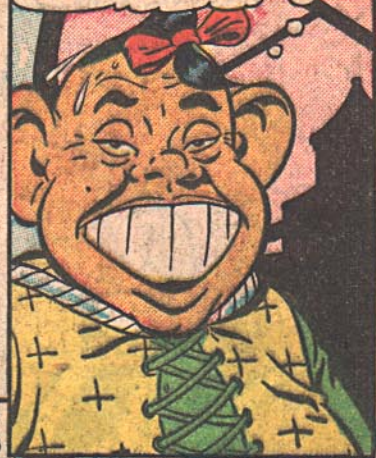


YOU WILL STAY HERE WITHOUT FOOD OR WATER UNTIL YOU DECIDE TO BE MY SON-IN-LAW!

NEVER! NEVER!



ALAS! BLACKHAWKS WILL NEVER SEE ME AGAIN! IT IMPOSSIBLE TO LOOSEN CORDS AND ME HERE MANY HOURS ALREADY! BUT BETTER SLOW DEATH THAN MARRIAGE TO THE PRINCESS!



SHHH!

I KNEW IT! SHE WAS SMITTEN BY CHOP CHOP!



YOU MUST NOT MAKE A SOUND! I WAS ABLE TO GET IN HERE BECAUSE I TOLD THE GUARDS THE PRINCESS HAD SENT ME TO FIND A BROOCH SHE HAD LOST!

YOU RISK YOUR LIFE TO SAVE ME! VELLY ROMANTIC!



YES! WE WILL FLY TO MANALOA AND HAPPINESS!

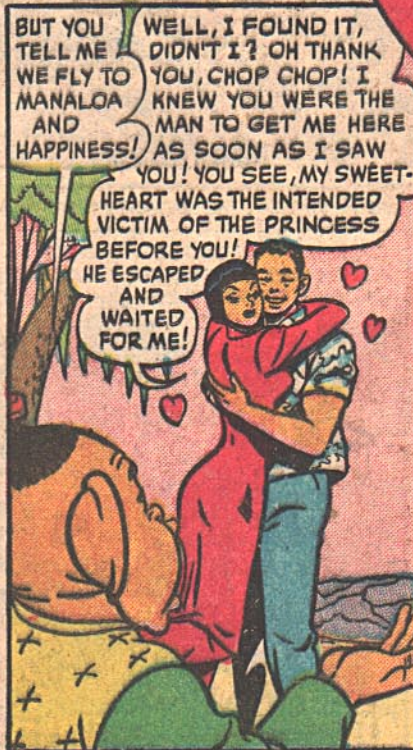
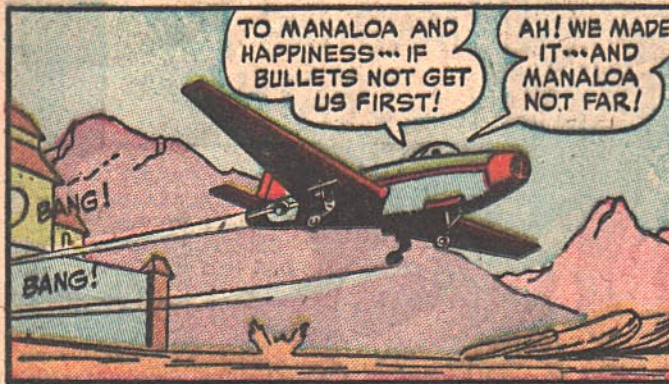
MANALOA! OH JOY! VELLY ROMANTIC TROPICAL ISLAND WHERE ONE CAN LIVE OFF NATURE'S BOUNTY AND ENJOY BLESSINGS OF BEAUTIFUL WIFE SUCH AS THIS!



I STOLE THE KEY TO THIS SECRET PANEL! FOLLOW ME!

TO THE ENDS OF EARTH IF NEED BE!





BLACKHAWK

SOMEWHERE BEHIND RED CHINA'S BAMBOO CURTAIN WERE LIVING GHOSTS... MEN WHO WERE THOUGHT DEAD YET WERE BEING USED FOR A GHASTLY PURPOSE! THIS WAS A TERRIBLE SECRET UNTIL THE GALLANT BLACK-HAWKS EXPOSED THE DEVILTRY BY BEING USED AS...

STAND-INS FOR DEATH!

NOW... FIRE!! THE BLACKHAWKS SHALL BE THE GUINEA PIGS FOR OUR NEW WEAPONS!



SOMEWHERE OVER RED CHINA, THE BLACKHAWKS ARE COMPLETING A SECRET MISSION...

LOOK BELOW, MEN! A BODY! MAYBE HE'S STILL ALIVE! LET'S GO DOWN AND CHECK!



SOON AFTER, THE BLACKHAWKS REACH THE DYING MAN...

POOR GUY! HE LOOKS AS THOUGH HE'S BEEN WALKING THESE HILLS FOR DAYS!

LISTEN... MORE OF US... PRISONERS... NEED HELP... FREE THEM!





LOOK ON MY BACK...
MAP THERE...I...
UHHH!

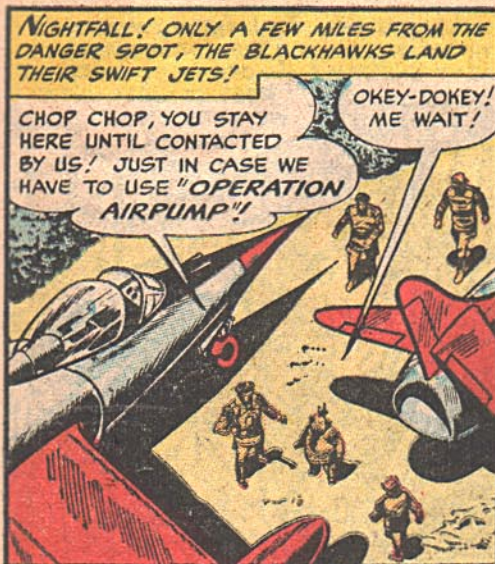
BLACKHAWK FOLLOWS THE DEAD MAN'S LAST INSTRUCTIONS, AND THERE, ON THE DEAD MAN'S BACK... A TATTOO!

A MAP OF A CHINESE DISTRICT! HE PROBABLY MADE SOME CRUDE INK AND HAD A FRIEND TATTOO IT ON HIM!



GOT TO GIVE THE GUY CREDIT FOR CARRYING THAT MAP ON HIM WITHOUT THE REDS KNOWING IT!

HE SAID, "MORE OF US... PRISONERS!" LET'S GO FIND THEM!



NIGHTFALL! ONLY A FEW MILES FROM THE DANGER SPOT, THE BLACKHAWKS LAND THEIR SWIFT JETS!

CHOP CHOP, YOU STAY HERE UNTIL CONTACTED BY US! JUST IN CASE WE HAVE TO USE "OPERATION AIRPUMP!"

OKEY-DOKEY! ME WAIT!



Their DESTINATION... A WALLED CITY!

A CHINESE RED ARMY BASE! AY TANK WE BETTER HAVE A CLOSER LOOK!

RIGHT, OLAF! AND LET'S DO IT QUIETLY, MEN!



KEEP IN THE SHADOWS! SO FAR WE'VE BEEN LUCKY IN AVOIDING THE SENTRIES!

But LATER, SOMETHING UNFORSEEN BETRAYS THEIR PATH! FOOT-PRINTS... MADE BY OIL SEEPING FROM A TRANSPORT ENGINE TO THE GROUND!



BEHOLD! PRINTS LEAD ELSEWHERE! SUMMON THE GUARDS... QUIETLY!

AND SO, THE BLACKHAWKS MOVE UNSUSPECTINGLY INTO AN AMBUSH!

YOW!
WE WALKED
RIGHT INTO
IT!

YAH... AND MY TANK
WE HAVE TOUGH
TIME WALKING
OUT OF IT!

NO USE... TOO
MANY OF THEM...
UHHH!

YEAH... NICE FIGHT...
WHILE IT LASTED!

And, WHEN THEY AWAKEN HOURS LATER...

MORNING, BLACKHAWKS /
WELCOME TO OUR PRIVATE
HELL!

WHA-AAT? SAY,
THAT'S A U.N.
ARMY UNIFORM!

UH-HUH / I WAS WITH
THE U.N. FIGHTING IN
KOREA / SO WERE THE
REST OF US... UNTIL
WE WERE TAKEN
PRISONER!

HOW COME
YOU WEREN'T
REPATRIATED
WITH ALL
OTHER POWS
WHEN THE WAR
ENDED?

WE'RE
CASUALTIES
...MISSING
IN ACTION!
AT LEAST
THAT'S WHAT
THE REDS TOLD
THE PRISONER
EXCHANGE
COMMISSION!

BY CLAIMING
WE'RE DEAD,
THE REDS
CAN USE US
AS GUINEA
PIGS!

EXACTLY! WHY
RISK THE LIVES
OF GOOD COM-
RADES WHEN
WE CAN USE
PRISONERS FOR
TESTING OUR
WEAPONS?

GENERAL
KLANG!

NOW, BLACKHAWKS...
YOU CAN COME TO THE
TESTING GROUNDS AND
SEE HOW USEFUL THESE
PRISONERS CAN BE!

THE PROVING GROUNDS...WHERE PRISONERS ARE USED TO TEST WEAPONS ON TRIAL!

THAT TRANSPORT HAS JUST FLOWN NEW TANKS HERE! PRISONERS WILL RIDE THEM AGAINST SHELLFIRE! THEY ARE TO BE TESTED AGAINST ANTI-TANK CANNONS!



MOMENTS LATER...CHOSEN PRISONERS RIDE THE LUMBERING VEHICLES FORWARD!

FIRE!!



BAH! THE GUNS BLASTED THEM APART! THE TANKS MUST BE MADE STRONGER...MUCH STRONGER!



YOU MURDERING DEVIL!

HMM! YOU SHOW FIRE, STRENGTH! I THINK WE SHALL REST THE WEAKENED PRISONERS FOR A FEW DAYS! TOMORROW THE **BLACKHAWKS** WILL BE USED FOR BATTLE EXPERIMENTS!



MORNING! THE BLACKHAWKS KEEP A RENDEZVOUS WITH DEATH!

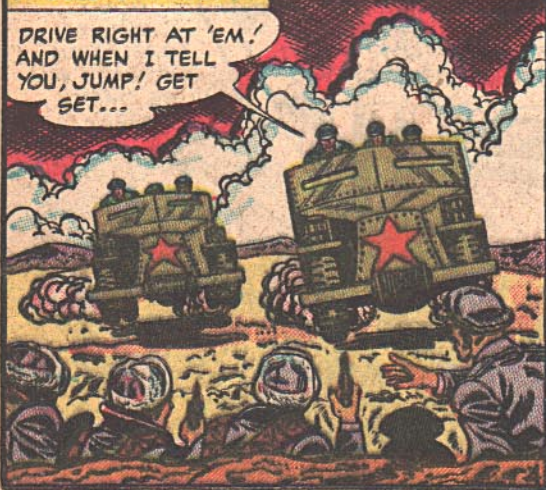
MY SOLDIERS NEED MORE PISTOL PRACTISE... ESPECIALLY IN FIRING AT OCCUPANTS OF MOVING CARS!

ACH! UND VU VILL BECOME DER "OCCUPANTS"... CLAY PIGEONS FOR YOUR MEN!



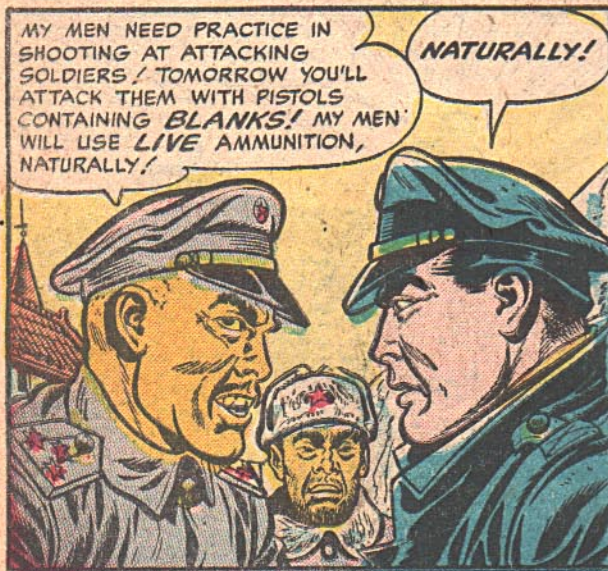
AS THE TREACHEROUS GENERAL IS ABOUT TO GIVE THE SIGNAL, THE BLACKHAWKS DECIDE ON A BOLD STRATEGY!

DRIVE RIGHT AT 'EM! AND WHEN I TELL YOU, JUMP! GET SET...



BOMBS AWAY!





MORNING! WILL IT BE THE LAST MORNING SUN THE BLACKHAWKS EVER SEE?

YOUR PISTOLS...YOUR BLANK CARTRIDGES! AND NOW YOUR PRISONER FRIENDS CAN WATCH YOU DIE IN "BATTLE"!

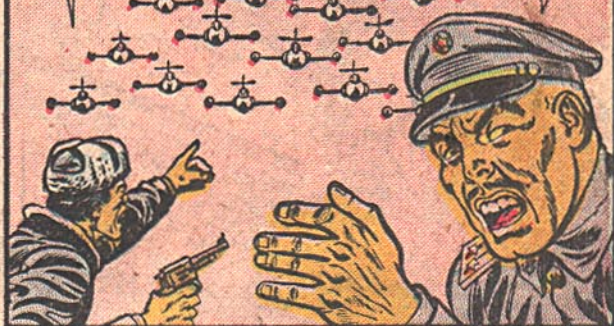
GOLLY! THE BLACKHAWKS WILL NEVER COME OUT OF THIS ALIVE!



SUDDENLY, THE SKIES ARE DARKENED BY AN APPROACHING SQUADRON OF WINGED CRAFT FLYING IN FORMATION!

AIEEE! BLACKHAWK JETS!

HURRY! SOUND ALARM! GET ANTI-AIRCRAFT CANNON WORKING!



BUT THE CANNONEERS ARE SWIFTLY STOPPED...BY PISTOL FIRE!

B-BUT I THOUGHT HE GAVE YOU BLANKS!

HE DID! BUT WE SUBSTITUTED LIVE AMMO FOR THE BLANKS!



BUT WHERE'D YOU GET 'EM?

FROM THE SOLDIERS' CARTRIDGE BELTS UNDER COVER OF THE BRAWL WE STAGED THE OTHER DAY! WE SNAGGED SOME AMMO AND WAITED, EXPECTING KLANG'S BLANK-PISTOL TEST WOULD BE COMING!



SCOOP UP THOSE GUNS! NOW, WHILE THEY'RE GAWKING AT THE SKY, LET'S HIT 'EM...HARD!

YAHOO! THAT'S FOR ME!



MANY HAPPY RETURNS OF THE DAY!

THIS IS FOR THE GOOD JOES YOU KILLED DURING YOUR ROTTEN TESTS!



AS BLACKHAWK LEADS HIS MEN TOWARD THE HUGE TRANSPORT SHIP, SUDDENLY UGLY BULLETS YAMMER AT THEM!

IT'S KLANG... WITH AN M-GUN! HE'S GOT US CUT OFF!

THROW DOWN YOUR GUNS! YOU HAVEN'T A CHANCE!



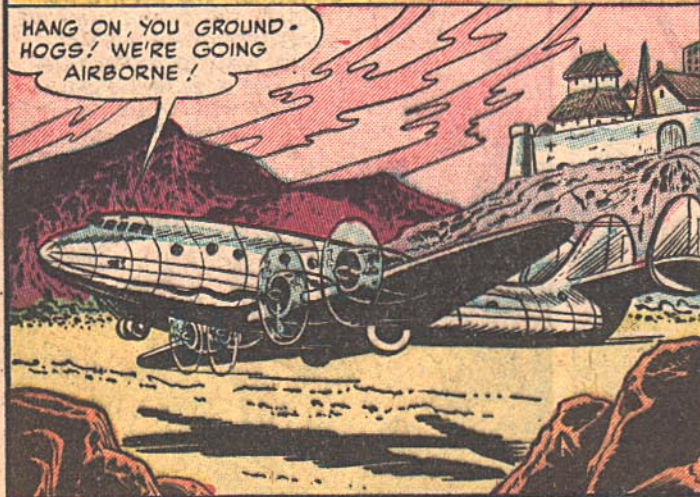
GOOD OLD CHOP CHOP! HE CAME THROUGH AGAIN!

AGHHH!



A MOMENT LATER, WITH THE AMERICAN POWS ABOARD, BLACKHAWK SENDS THE GREAT TRANSPORT SKYWARD!

HANG ON, YOU GROUND-HOGS! WE'RE GOING AIRBORNE!



MEANWHILE, THE BUSY ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNNERS VIEW THE BLACKHAWK SQUADRON WHICH REACTS STRANGELY UNDER FIRE...

MOST PECULIAR HOW JETS BURST SO COMPLETELY WHEN A HIT IS SCORED!



I DON'T GET IT! I ALWAYS THOUGHT THERE WERE ONLY SIX BLACKHAWK JETS!

THERE ARE! ACTUALLY, CHOP CHOP IS FLYING **ONE JET** THAT IS **TOWING** ALONG A LINE OF **DUMMY PLANES** MADE OF RUBBER! THAT'S OPERATION **AIRPUMP!**

IT'S OUR NEW INVENTION! EACH JET CARRIES FOLDED-UP "JET BALLOONS" THAT BLOW UP INTO SHAPE WITH COMPRESSED AIR CARTRIDGES, JUST LIKE RUBBER LIFE RAFTS. IT'S GOOD FOR A BLUFF "ATTACK"!



AND IT WORKED! AND NOW YOU'RE FREE! YOU'RE ON YOUR WAY HOME... YOU'RE GOING HOME AT LAST!



*The
Perfect*

BLACKHAWK

DOUBLE CROSS

ROGLI emerged from his final meeting with the plastic surgeon, a man with a new face and a new name . . . R. Michon. He sighed audibly as he caught sight of his reflection in the rear view mirror of his rented car. Behind him lay murder, the death of the doctor was but one of a long list for Rogli. His crimes were international and his new beginning had cost the life of the one man who could identify him positively to the government he was about to betray.

He abandoned the car a few blocks from the waterfront and hurried to the small launch waiting for him. Potov greeted him from the helm, "Your transformation is perfect. We'll have the secret plans for the continental airfields in a matter of days." He paused, looking thoughtful as he swung the launch out towards the sea. "Remember, not even our agents on ship must know you are one of us. Your true identity is lost forever. To the world you are R. Michon, honored representative of a small free nation. You will be amply rewarded for this job, Rogli . . . or, Michon!"

Rogli smiled polite acknowledgement, in careful imitation of the many movies he had studied of the man he was about to replace. And he mused on the comments of Potov, chief of the underground . . . "Amply rewarded," he had said. These words rang in Rogli's mind.

He was smuggled on board the liner as it slowed to enter the bay. He went confidently to the suite of R. Michon. Rogli found the man alone, his back to the door as he perused his papers. In a matter of minutes, the gruesome job was done.

Government officials were on hand to meet R. Michon and escort him to the capital. It wasn't until negotiations were under way that Rogli conceived the idea of playing both ends against the middle. He would turn the plans over to Potov and collect his reward,

but before, as R. Michon, he would contact government agents and claim that his government had empowered him to reveal certain facts about Potov and his nationwide movement, gathered by his own free nation secret agents. He would kill Potov, as if by accident, retrieve the papers, then turn his body over to the police. And a new life would lie before him as R. Michon, respected representative of the free world. The perfect double cross.

Later that week he was somewhat jolted to be introduced to Potov and his hovering assistant at an embassy party. Potov played his part well, and his burly henchman was openly hostile. Rogli smiled inwardly at this. You had to give Potov credit for a tightly knit organization. Still nobody knew Rogli as anyone but R. Michon.

Rogli met with Potov alone, as planned, and turned over the plans for the airfields. Potov laughed softly as he looked over the papers. "Fine job, Michon, fine," he said, and he whirled to face Rogli, a gun in his hand. "And here is your reward, my friend. I'll take these papers myself and sell them to the highest bidder." Rogli went white with panic. "I must stall him," he thought frantically, "The government agents will be here soon." He tried pleading, as Potov laughed, "That doesn't become you, my friend, not the honorable R. Michon."

Just then Rogli heard a sound in the hall behind him. Hope surged through him. "Now," he shouted, "the government agents have come," and he whipped out his gun and fired point blank. As Potov crumpled to the floor, groaning, a silent bullet struck Rogli's back. He pitched forward and ricocheted off a small table to lie face up. His fading eyes showed Potov's thug bending over him, gun in hand, as the government agents burst into the room. The perfect double cross had worked both ways.

BLACKHAWK



*It was impossible...yet true! The world stood by horrified as the once famous Blackhawk reversed his principles to lead a life of crime! What fantastic reason was behind his betrayal? Why had the great fighter for freedom become a renegade when he met...
THE PHANTOM RAIDER?*

AT THE FREE WORLD'S HUGE ARSENAL IN CENTRAL EUROPE A BAND OF MEN GARBED IN STRANGE UNIFORMS OF WAR, ATTACK UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS!

YAAAGH!

HURRY! TIME IS ESSENTIAL! WE HAVE EXACTLY **TWELVE** MINUTES TO COMPLETE THE RAID AND WITHDRAW!



DESCENDING UPON THE MUNITIONS DUMP LIKE A SWARM OF LOCUSTS, THE GHOSTLY FIGURES GO ABOUT THEIR WORK METHODICALLY... SWIFTLY!

AAAGH!

SEVEN MINUTES AND TWENTY-FOUR SECONDS TO GO! THE ATTACK IS PROGRESSING EXCELLENTLY! BEFORE THE BLACKHAWKS CAN BE ALERTED WE'LL BE OUT OF THE AREA! **PREPARE BOOBY TRAPS!**



MEANWHILE, AS THE FAMED FIGHTERS FOR FREEDOM PRACTICE NIGHT MANEUVERS BLACKHAWK'S RADIO CRACKLES WITH A STARTLING BULLETIN!

ATTENTION! THE FREE WORLD ARSENAL HAS JUST BEEN ATTACKED! FURTHER BULLETINS TO FOLLOW!

HOWLING JETS! THAT'S THE BIGGEST AMMO DUMP IN EUROPE! H'MM... I WONDER IF THIS IS THE PHANTOM'S DOING? PHANTOM GIVE CHOP CHOP CREEPS! ALWAYS VANISH IN PUFF OF SMOKE!

YES... HE'S MANAGED TO ELUDE US IN THE PAST, CHOP CHOP! BUT LUCK IS ON OUR SIDE THIS TIME... WE'RE RIGHT NEAR THAT ARSENAL! FOLLOW ME IN, GANG! WE'RE BLASTING DOWN FOR A LANDING!

OUI! JAWOHL!

YUMPIN YITTERBUGS! WE CAN CATCH THE PHANTOM THIS TIME!

RIGHT, OLAF! AND WE'RE GOING TO GIVE THAT GHOSTLY CHARACTER SOMETHING TO WAIT ABOUT! FAN OUT FOR AN ALL OUT OFFENSIVE!



THEIR FISTS POISED FOR ACTION, THE BATTLING BLACKHAWKS SWEEP DOWN UPON THE HOODED ATTACKERS AND...

THIS IS ALL VERY WELL, BLACKHAWK! BUT I DO NOT SEE THEIR LEADER, THE PHANTOM!

THESE BOYS SEEM RATHER ANXIOUS TO KEEP US AWAY FROM THAT BUILDING, STANISLAUS! PERHAPS HE'S IN THERE!



AS THE VALIANT BLACKHAWK LEADER FIGHTS HIS WAY TO THE BUILDING...



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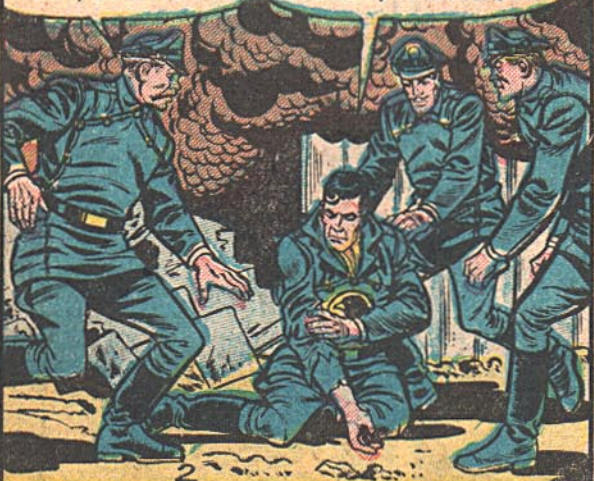
SACRE! BLACKHAWK... HE EES HURT!

LET'S MOP THESE CHARACTERS UP AND GIVE HIM A HAND, ANDRE!

BOOOOM!

ACH DU LIEBER! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, BLACKHAWK?

MY ARM! MY RIGHT ARM! I THINK IT'S BROKEN, HENDRICKSON!



THAT PHANTOM'S A REAL SHARP OPERATOR! HE RIGGED A BOOBY TRAP IN THE ENTRANCE AND THEN TOOK OFF!

YES, I'M AFRAID HE OUTWITTED US! THESE SOLDIERS OF HIS WERE A REAR GUARD DETAIL TO STALL US WHILE HE MADE GOOD HIS ESCAPE! IF I COULD ONLY GET MY HANDS ON THE PHANTOM!

LOOK, BLACKHAWK! HE HAS LEFT A MESSAGE!





PY YIMINY! THE PHANTOM IS YUST A COWARD!

JA, OLAF! BUT IT ISS BLACK-HAWK HE FEARS! DAT IS WHY HE HAS AVOIDED CLASHES MIT US!

AS LONG AS BLACKHAWK IS YOUR LEADER YOU WILL NEVER HAVE THE CHANCE TO BATTLE THE PHANTOM!



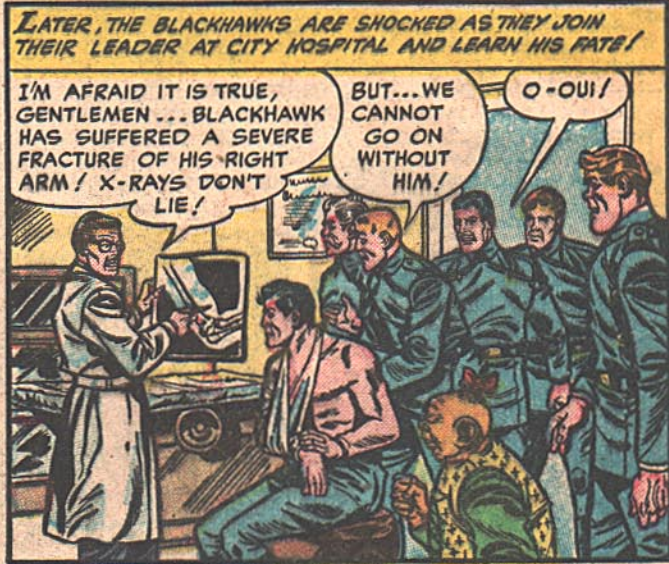
HM-M...THAT'S RIGHT, HENDRICKSON! I WONDER...

THIS IS NO TIME TO WORRY ABOUT THE PHANTOM, BLACKHAWK! YOU SHOULD HAVE A DOCTOR LOOK AT THAT ARM! LET'S GET TO A HOSPITAL!



I'LL GO ALONG ALONE, FELLOWS! THE WOUNDED GUARDS HERE WILL NEED ALL THE HELP THEY CAN GET! MEET ME AT THE HOSPITAL LATER!

VERY WELL, MON AMI! WE WILL JOIN YOU SHORTLY!



LATER, THE BLACKHAWKS ARE SHOCKED AS THEY JOIN THEIR LEADER AT CITY HOSPITAL AND LEARN HIS FATE!

I'M AFRAID IT IS TRUE, GENTLEMEN...BLACKHAWK HAS SUFFERED A SEVERE FRACTURE OF HIS RIGHT ARM! X-RAYS DON'T LIE!

BUT...WE CANNOT GO ON WITHOUT HIM!

O-OUI!



I'M AFRAID YOU'LL HAVE TO, MEN! THE DOCTOR'S PRESCRIBED A REST FOR ME! BESIDES...I WOULDN'T BE ANY HELP TO YOU IN THIS CONDITION! HENDRICKSON CAN TAKE OVER WHILE I'M GONE!

JA...

IF IT ISS YOUR ORDER, BLACK-HAWK!



THUS IT IS THAT BLACKHAWK IS LEFT ALONE BY HIS COMPANIONS AT A SECLUDED MOUNTAIN RETREAT!

OH, GOLLIES! WITHOUT BLACKHAWK WE ARE HELP-LESS LIKE WINGLESS BIRDS!

TRUE WORDS, CHOP CHOP! BUT OUR LEADER NEEDS THIS REST! WE MUST CARRY ON AND MAKE HIM PROUD OF US!

YOU SAID IT, STANISLAUS!



THE NEXT EVENING, A LONE FIGURE CREEPS STEALTHILY UP TO A HEAVILY GUARDED GOVERNMENT BUILDING WHERE...

HEY! WHAT'S THAT NOISE?

WELL WHATA YOU KNOW...IT'S THE FAMOUS...



CAN THIS BE TRUE? HAS THE WORLD RENOWNED BLACK-HAWK TURNED TO CRIME.. AND WHY? LET US FOLLOW HIS MOVEMENTS AND DIS-COVER THE MOTIVE BEHIND THIS FANTASTIC SCENE!



WIDE-EYED WITH ASTONISHMENT, GUARDS MUST MUSTER ALL THEIR COURAGE TO SHOOT DOWN THEIR IDOL AS HE FLEES FROM THE AREA!



BUT BLACKHAWK MAKES GOOD HIS ESCAPE! SOON AFTER, AT THE WORLD COURT...

IT'S FANTASTIC, OF COURSE! BLACKHAWK'S ARM IS BROKEN! BESIDES, HE WOULD NEVER COMMIT SUCH A CRIME!

PERHAPS...BUT HE STILL MUST ABSOLVE HIMSELF OF THE THEFT! AFTER ALL, A CHARGE HAS BEEN MADE AGAINST HIM! LET US VISIT BLACKHAWK AT ONCE!

AGREED, GENERAL PRADAS!



SHORTLY, AS THE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE CONFRONTS THE DIS-ABLED BLACKHAWK AT HIS MOUNTAIN RETREAT!

OBVIOUSLY SOME-ONE WAS IMPER-SONATING ME, GENTLEMEN! HOW COULD I POSSIBLY HAVE STRUCK THOSE GUARDS WITH MY RIGHT ARM FRACTURED AND IN A CAST?

AN EXCELLENT DEFENSE, BLACK-HAWK! THEN I'M SURE YOU WON'T MIND IF ANOTHER X-RAY OF YOUR ARM IS TAKEN TO VERIFY THE AUTHENTICITY OF THE INJURY AND THUS CLEAR YOUR NAME!



IT...APPEARS A LITTLE PLAN I HAD IN MIND HAS JUST BACK-FIRED! GENTLEMEN! THERE IS NO SENSE IN TAKING ANOTHER X-RAY! YOU SEE, MY ARM ISN'T BROKEN!

W-WHAT?



I FAKED THE INJURY TO BAIT THE PHANTOM INTO BATTLING THE BLACKHAWKS! HE HAD SAID HE WOULDN'T FIGHT US AS LONG AS I WAS THE ACTIVE LEADER! SO I FEIGNED A BROKEN ARM!

BUT MON AMI...ZEE X-RAY OF ZEE FRACTURE WE SAW AT ZEE HOSPITAL?



BLACKHAWK

THAT WAS ALL PART OF THE PLAN TO CONVINCE THE WORLD I WAS HURT, ANDRE! I SLIPPED PHONEY X-RAY PLATES INTO THE DOCTOR'S LAB!

DO YOU TAKE US FOR IDIOTS, BLACKHAWK? YOU FAKED THAT INJURY SO YOU COULD PLUNDER AND ROB ABOVE SUSPICION! CHARGES WILL BE PRESSED AGAINST YOU IMMEDIATELY!



YOU... DON'T BELIEVE ME THEN?

SORRY, BLACKHAWK... THE EVIDENCE SPEAKS FOR ITSELF! WE WILL PUT YOU IN CUSTODY OF YOUR FRIENDS UNTIL YOUR TRIAL!

WE HANG TRAITORS LIKE BLACKHAWK IN THE ARMY!



LATER, THE STUNNED BLACKHAWKS FACE THE GRIM DECISION OF THE WORLD COURT REGARDING THEIR FALLEN LEADER!

BECAUSE OF YOUR VITAL SERVICES TO THE WORLD IN THE PAST WE WILL NOT PROSECUTE YOU, BLACKHAWK! HOWEVER, YOU MUST RESIGN FROM THE BLACKHAWKS... OR WE WILL OUT-LAW THE GROUP!

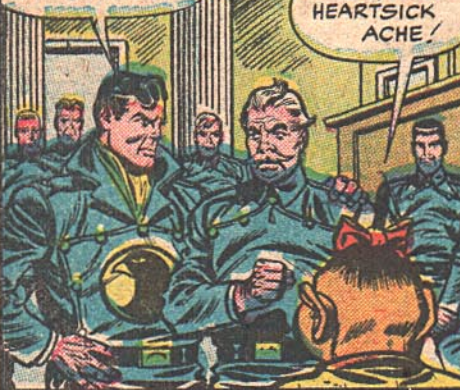
BUT... I AM INNOCENT, I TELL YOU!

WE WILL NOT ALLOW DIS!



WAIT, HENDRICKSON... GANG! IN THE EYES OF THE WORLD I AM A THIEF! MY NAME CAN ONLY DO YOU HARM NOW... YOU MUST FOLLOW THE CODE OF THE BLACKHAWKS! I MUST BE BANISHED FROM THE GROUP AS OUR LAW STATES!

OH, VELL HEARTSICK ACHE!

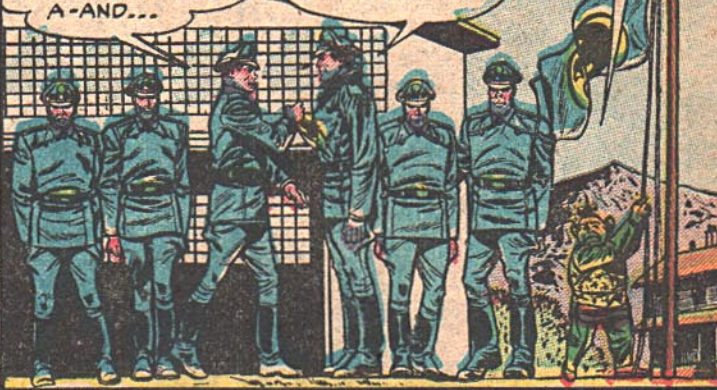


BANISHMENT FROM BLACKHAWK ISLAND! THE TOUGH CODE OF THE BLACKHAWKS IS USED FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME AGAINST ITS CREATOR!

A-AND FOR YOUR... BETRAYAL... YOU ARE HEREBY BANISHED A-AND...

SAY IT, CHUCK... SAY IT AS OUR CODE OF LAW DIRECTS!

SNIFFLE! SNIFFLE!



...AND HENCEFORTH YOU SHALL BE S-SHUNNED BY BLACKHAWKS UNTIL SUCH TIME AS YOU MAY BE JUDGED INNOCENT OF ANY CRIMES!

The DRUM ROLLS... AND DOWN THE CHEEK OF BLACKHAWK A TEAR TRICKLES... FOR BRAVE MEN CRY ALSO WHEN THEIR WORLD IS FALLING ABOUT THEM!



DUM DE DUM DUM DUM DUM

S-SO LONG... GANG!



THAT
IT IS
THAT
THE MAN
WHO
ONCE
HELD THE
WORLD'S
HIGHEST
HONORS
IS NOW AN
OUTCAST
FROM
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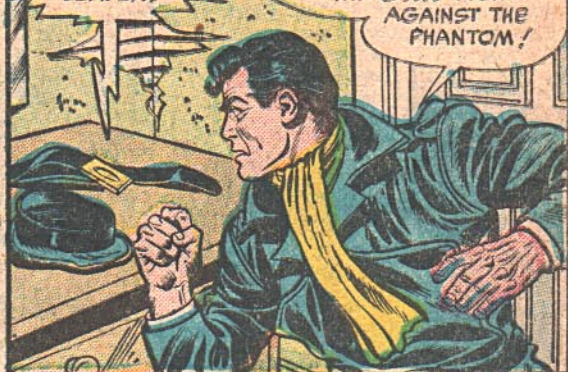
GOSH...I SURE
MISS THE GANG!
IF I COULD ONLY
FIGURE OUT WHO
FRAMED ME...
WHA...?

THE BLACKHAWKS ARE AT
THIS MOMENT WAGING A
DESPERATE BATTLE
AGAINST THE PHANTOM'S
RAIDING ARMY WHO HAS
STRUCK BOLDLY AT
WORLD ARMORY!



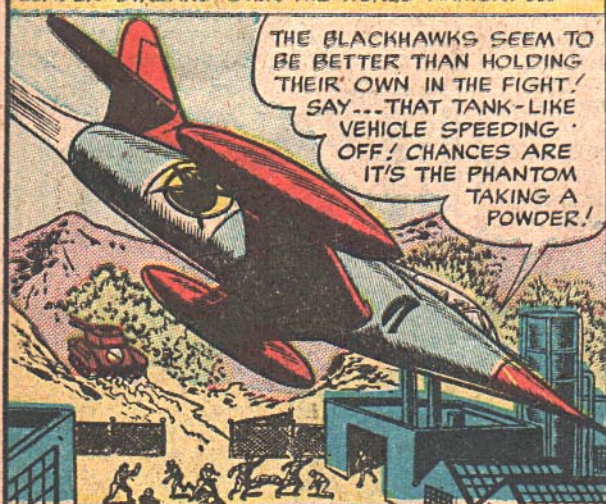
...IT IS OBVIOUS
COORDINATION AMONG
THE VALIANT FIGHTERS
FOR FREEDOM ISN'T
WHAT IT USED TO BE!
APPARENTLY THEY
SOLEMNLY MISS THEIR
LEADER!

IF I COULD ONLY GIVE
THE FELLOWS A HAND...
BUT THAT'S AGAINST
THE LAW NOW! WAIT A
MINUTE... WORLD COURT
DIDN'T SAY ANYTHING
ABOUT CARRYING ON
MY OWN FIGHT
AGAINST THE
PHANTOM!

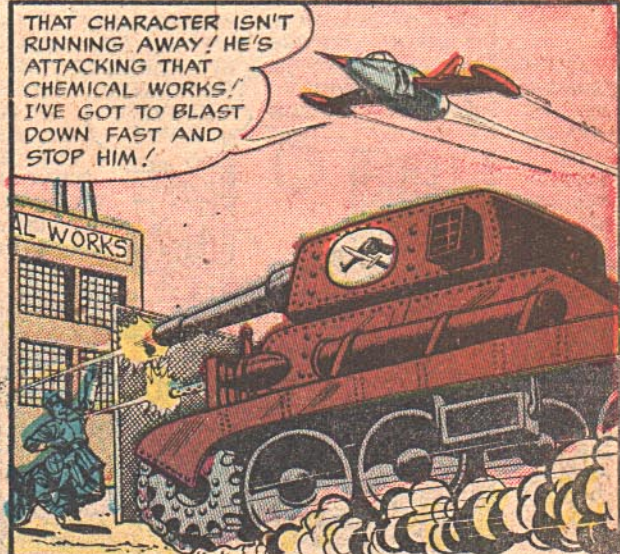


MINUTES LATER, AS THE FORMER BLACKHAWK
LEADER STREAKS OVER THE WORLD ARMORY...

THE BLACKHAWKS SEEM TO
BE BETTER THAN HOLDING
THEIR OWN IN THE FIGHT!
SAY...THAT TANK-LIKE
VEHICLE SPEEDING
OFF! CHANCES ARE
IT'S THE PHANTOM
TAKING A
POWDER!



THAT CHARACTER ISN'T
RUNNING AWAY! HE'S
ATTACKING THAT
CHEMICAL WORKS!
I'VE GOT TO BLAST
DOWN FAST AND
STOP HIM!



SHORTLY, AS THE PHANTOM
COMMANDS HIS MEN WITHIN THE
CHEMICAL WORKS...

PLACE THE TIME BOMB
HERE, MEN! IN ONE
HOUR...AT PRECISELY
ONE O'CLOCK...THIS
PLACE WILL BE A
SMOLDERING RUIN!
WHA...BLACKHAWK!

WE MEET
AT LAST,
PHANTOM!
AND THE
PLEASURE
IS MINE!

I'LL BET MY JET YOU'RE AS
ALLERGIC TO A HUMAN FIST
AS ANY MORTAL, PHANTOM! AT
ANY RATE...I'M
GOING TO
FIND OUT!

DON'T COUNT
ON IT,
BLACKHAWK!



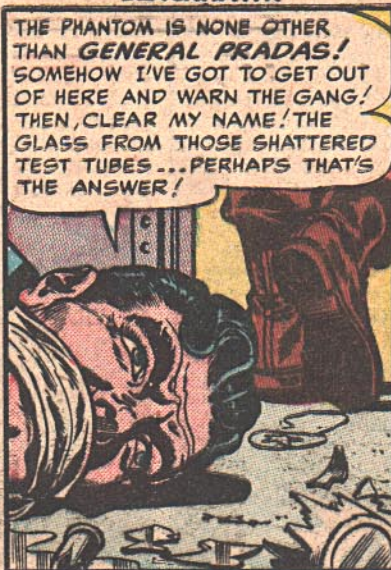
O-OH...
YOU ALWAYS WERE
AN OVERCONFIDENT
FOOL! BIND HIM
SECURELY, MEN!





THIS WAS AN EXCELLENT STROKE OF LUCK! WHEN THEY FIND BLACK-HAWK'S REMAINS HERE IN THE DEBRIS HE'LL BE BLAMED FOR THE SABOTAGE! HURRY...I MUST RETURN TO TOWN AT ONCE!

M-MY HEAD.. GROGGY./ HM-M...THAT IMPRESSION OF THE PHANTOM'S HEEL ON THE FLOOR.. I'VE SEEN IT SOMEWHERE BEFORE! OF COURSE! BACK AT THE MOUNTAIN RETREAT!



THE PHANTOM IS NONE OTHER THAN **GENERAL PRADAS!** SOMEHOW I'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE AND WARN THE GANG! THEN, CLEAR MY NAME! THE GLASS FROM THOSE SHATTERED TEST TUBES...PERHAPS THAT'S THE ANSWER!



GRIPPING A BROKEN PIECE OF GLASS CAUTIOUSLY IN HIS FINGERS, **BLACKHAWK** MANAGES TO CUT HIS BONDS! THEN...

EVEN THOUGH I KNOW WHO THE PHANTOM REALLY IS I STILL CAN'T PROVE IT! BUT PERHAPS THIS SMALL STEEL BOX CONTAINING A TIME BOMB WILL PROMPT THE GENERAL INTO A CONFESSION!

As **GENERAL PRADAS** ENTERS THE WORLD COURT WITH THE OTHER MEMBERS AT 12:57 HIS ATTENTION IS SUDDENLY ATTRACTED TO AN OBJECT ON THE CONFERENCE TABLE!



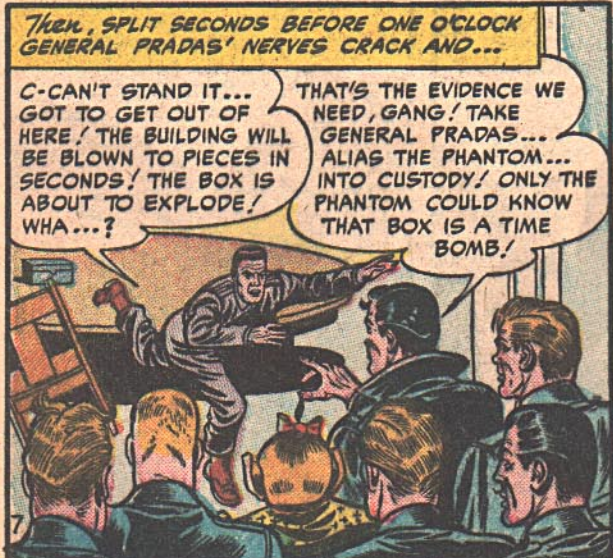
THAT STEEL BOX... IT LOOKS LIKE THE ONE I LEFT AT THE CHEMICAL WORKS WITH A TIME BOMB INSIDE!

WHAT IS IT, JENSON? A NEW PORTABLE FILING BOX OF SOME KIND?

I IMAGINE SO! **BLACKHAWK** LEFT IT HERE WHILE YOU WERE AT LUNCH! HE CLAIMS IT CONTAINS EVIDENCE TO CLEAR HIS NAME BUT HE INSISTED WE WAIT UNTIL ONE MINUTE PAST ONE TO OPEN IT!



BLACKHAWK SOMEHOW ESCAPED! HE... BROUGHT MY TIME EXPLOSIVE HERE TO SEEK REVENGE FOR HIS HUMILIATION BY BLOWING UP THE WORLD COURT! O-ONE MINUTE TO GO...



Then, SPLIT SECONDS BEFORE ONE O'CLOCK **GENERAL PRADAS'** NERVES CRACK AND...

C-CAN'T STAND IT... GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE! THE BUILDING WILL BE BLOWN TO PIECES IN SECONDS! THE BOX IS ABOUT TO EXPLODE! WHA...?

THAT'S THE EVIDENCE WE NEED, GANG! TAKE **GENERAL PRADAS**... ALIAS THE PHANTOM... INTO CUSTODY! ONLY THE PHANTOM COULD KNOW THAT BOX IS A TIME BOMB!



LATER AFTER WORLD COURT MEMBERS LEARN OF **BLACKHAWK'S** PLOT TO APPREHEND THE CULPRIT!

BUT **BLACKHAWK**... WHY DIDN'T THE TIME BOMB GO OFF?

I MERELY DEACTIVATED IT! AS YOU DIDN'T KNOW THIS IT FRIGHTENED YOU INTO REVEALING YOUR GUILT BY ATTEMPTING TO ESCAPE!

AH, MON AMI! YOU ARE WEETH US AGAIN.. AS OUR LEADER! VOILA...YOUR INSIGNIA!

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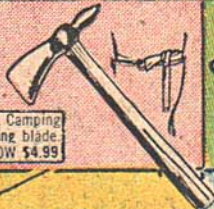
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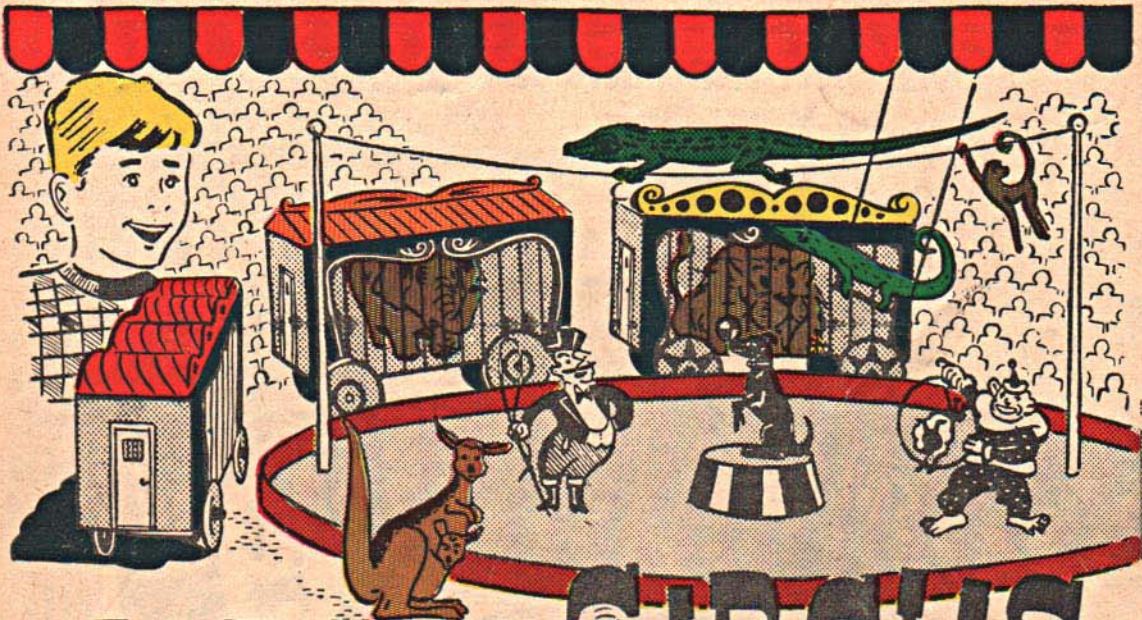
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